

MEDIA ADVISORY

Homeland Security Committee Schedule for the Week of June 18-22

Current as of June 15, 2007

Tuesday, June 19, 2007 @ 11am 311 Cannon House Office Building

"Ensuring We Have Well-Trained Boots on the Ground At the Border"

→ Subcommittee on Management, Investigations, and Oversight

<u>Witnesses</u> (partial): **Colleen Kelley**, National President, National Treasury Employees Union; **TJ Bonner**, President, National Border Patrol Council of the American Federation of Government Employees; **Chief Charlie Whitmire**, Chief Patrol Agent, United States Border Patrol Academy, Artesia, NM; **Art Morgan**, Director, U.S. Customs and Border Protection Field Operations Academy; **Cindy Atwood**, Assistant Director, Field Training Directorate, Federal Law Enforcement Training Center; **Richard Stana**, Director, Homeland Security and Justice Issues, Government Accountability Office

There will be a webcast of this hearing.

Tuesday, June 19, 2007 @ 1:30pm 1539 Longworth House Office Building

"Keeping the Border Secure: Examining Potential Threats Posed by Cross Border Trucking"

→ Subcommittee on Transportation Security and Infrastructure Protection

Witnesses: Bill Arrington, General Manager, Highway and Motor Carrier Division, TSA; Stephen Russell, Chairman and CEO, Celadon Group, Inc. (on behalf of ATA); Gregg Ward, Vice President, Detroit Windsor Truck Ferry; Raul Salinas, Mayor of Laredo

There will not be a webcast of this hearing.

Wednesday, June 20, 2007 @ 12pm 1539 Longworth House Office Building

"You Don't Know What You Don't Know: Has the Department of Homeland Security Improved its Ability to Maintain Situational Awareness Since Hurricane Katrina?"

→ Subcommittee on Management, Investigations, and Oversight

<u>Witnesses</u> (partial): **Col. Terry J. Ebbert**, USMC (ret), Director, Office of Homeland Security & Public Safety, City of New Orleans; **Eileen Larence**, Director, Homeland Security and Justice Issues, Government Accountability Office; **Frank DiFalco**,

Director, National Operations Center, Office of Operations Coordination, Department of Homeland Security

There will not be a webcast of this hearing.

Wednesday, June 20, 2007 @ 2pm 311 Cannon House Office Building

"Hacking the Homeland: Investigating Cybersecurity Vulnerabilities at the Department of Homeland Security"

→ Subcommittee on Emerging Threats, Cybersecurity, and Science and Technology

<u>Witnesses:</u> Scott Charbo, Chief Information Officer, Department of Homeland Security; **Gregory Wilshusen**, Director, Information Security Issues, Government Accountability Office; **Keith A. Rhodes**, Director, Center for Technology and Engineering, Government Accountability Office

There will be a webcast of this hearing.

Thursday, June 21, 2007 @ 10am 1539 Longworth House Office Building

"Challenges Facing First Responders in Border Communities"

→ Subcommittee on Emergency Communications, Preparedness, and Response Witnesses will be by invitation only.

There will not be a webcast of this hearing.

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